

FREIGHT RAIL IN NEW HAMPSHIRE



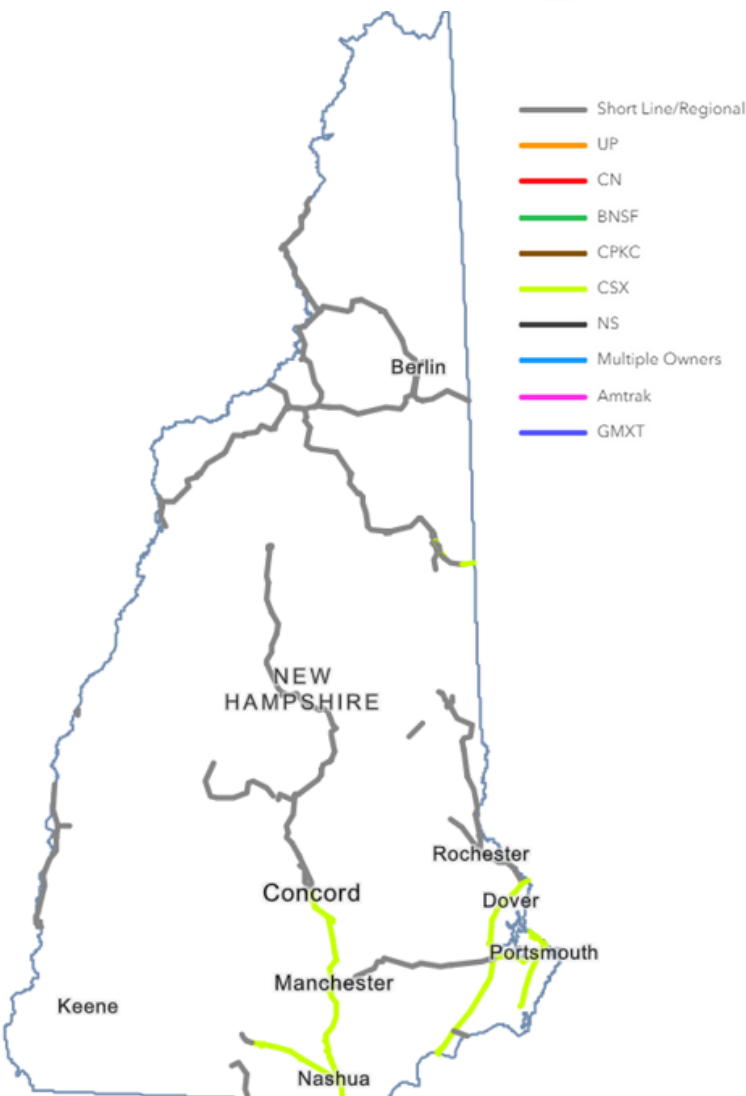
It would have taken
234,000 TRUCKS
*to handle the freight that moved
by rail in New Hampshire in 2022.*

Class I Railroads

CSX	80
	80

Short Line Railroads

Berkshire & Eastern Railroad	24
Green Mountain Railroad	2
Milford-Bennington Railroad	24
New England Central Railroad	34
New England Southern Railroad	18
New Hampshire Central Railroad	45
New Hampshire Northcoast	43
St. Lawrence & Atlantic Railroad	58
Washington County Railroad	41
	289



FREIGHT RR EMPLOYEES

145

FREIGHT RRS

10

FREIGHT RR MILEAGE

301

RR RETIREMENT BENEFICIARIES

1,000

RR RETIREMENT BENEFITS

\$25M

RAIL TRAFFIC ORIGINATED

COMMODITY	TONS (M)	CARLOADS
Crushed stone & sand	n/a	n/a
Refined petrol. prod.	n/a	n/a
Intermodal	n/a	n/a
Waste & scrap	n/a	n/a
Food products	n/a	n/a
Other	n/a	n/a
TOTAL	0.3M	4.0K

RAIL TRAFFIC TERMINATED

COMMODITY	TONS (M)	CARLOADS
Refined petrol. prod.	n/a	n/a
Stone, clay, & glass pr.	n/a	n/a
Lumber & wood prod.	n/a	n/a
Chemicals	n/a	n/a
Nonmetallic minerals	n/a	n/a
Other	n/a	n/a
TOTAL	0.5M	7.0K

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THE SAFEST WAY TO MOVE FREIGHT OVER LAND

Thanks in part to technologies like train inspection portals and cracked wheel detection, the Class I mainline accident rate is down 42% since 2000, and the last decade was the safest ever, with the 2023 hazmat accident rate at its lowest ever.



\$23B ANNUAL INVESTMENTS

Capital spending as a share of revenue for freight railroads is six times what it is for the average U.S. manufacturer.



HIGH PAYING JOBS

The average Class I railroad employee earns \$135,000 to nearly \$190,000 annually in pay and benefits.



MOVING ONE TON NEARLY 500 MILES ON ONE GALLON OF FUEL.

On average, railroads are three to four times more fuel efficient than trucks, and one train can take hundreds of trucks off the road.



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